

2006 Houston  
District Export  
Council  
Pat Foley  
Export Excellence  
Award Recipients

Financial Services  
Mohammad Kudia,  
GE Aero Energy

Public Sector  
Helen Chang,  
City of Houston

Associations  
Houston Custom  
Brokers and Freight  
Forwarders  
Association

Transportation  
Continental Air  
Cargo

Banking  
Joe Ringer,  
Ex-Im Bank

Legal  
Mark Joye

Exporter  
Zeh Software



The Houston District Export Council  
presents

## **2nd Annual Export Excellence Awards Luncheon**

Thursday, May 18, 2006  
Doubletree Hilton Hotel  
11:30am — 1:30 pm



*The **Export Excellence Awards** honor Houston area companies, organizations or individuals that excel in the promotion of exports. These awards highlight the crucial role of exports to the Houston area economy and recognize the recipients' efforts to promote and expand area exports.*

*This event is part of a nationwide celebration of **World Trade Week 2006**.*

### **Keynote Speaker**

The Honorable Eduardo Aguirre  
U.S. Ambassador to Spain

### **Export Excellence Leadership Award Recipient**

Gordon Bethune  
Cendant Corporation  
Chairman of Travel Distribution Services Division  
Former CEO of Continental Airlines



To register, please go to [www.buyusa.gov/houston](http://www.buyusa.gov/houston)  
or use the following registration form  
Cost to attend: \$40.00 or \$400.00 for a reserved table  
Seating is limited

### **For more information, contact:**

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Company: \_\_\_\_\_

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